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FOLLOWING REPEAT STATE 35066 ACTION DAMASCUS, TEL AVIV, CAIRO,
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EXDIS, TOSEC 66, ZFF MEXICO ONLY

E.O. 11652: GDS

TAGS: OVIP (KISSINGER, HENRY A.)

SUBJ: COMMUNICATIONS FOR SECRETARY'S VISIT: SPECIAL

SUMMARIES AND SPECIAL CAPTIONS

REF: STATE 216511, 216512

1. DEPARTMENT WILL SEND DAILY SPECIAL ALL SOURCE SUMMARY
FOR THE SECRETARY WHILE HE IS AT ACTION ADDRESSEE POSTS.
SPECIAL SUMMARIES WILL BE CAPTIONED NODIS OR EXDIS AND BE
IN TOSEC SERIES. THEY SHOULD BE DELIVERED IN REQUISITE
NUMBER OF COPIES ONLY TO THE S/S TEAM MEMBERS OR THOSE
DESIGNATED BY THEM.

2. SPECIAL SUMMARIES WILL BE SENT BY IMMEDIATE CABLE FROM
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THE DEPARTMENT OPERATIONS CENTER. THEY WILL BE NUMBERED

CONSECUTIVELY AND SHOULD NORMALLY BE RECEIVED BY 0500 EACH DAY. IF NOT RECEIVED BY THIS TIME, COMMUNICATIONS SUPERVISOR SHOULD, ON OWN INITIATIVE, SEND AN IMMEDIATE SERVICE. THE SPECIAL SUMMARIES SHOULD BE SET UP WITH THREE LINES BETWEEN ITEMS. MATS SHOULD BE PROOFED BEFORE REPRODUCTION.

3. INSTRUCTIONS RE ALL SOURCE ASPECT OF SPECIAL SUMMARIES CONTAINED IN REFTELS.

4. OCCASIONALLY, WHEN SPEED IS ESSENTIAL, CERTAIN SENSITIVE MESSAGES IN THE TOSEC/SECTO SERIES MAY EMPLOY THE CAPTION QUOTE EXDIS (DISTRIBUTE AS NODIS) UNQUOTE. THIS CAPTION SHOULD BE INTERPRETED LITERALLY. ALTHOUGH THESE MESSAGES

WILL BE TRANSMITTED EXDIS, UPON RECEIPT ALL ADDRESSEES SHOULD FOLLOW STANDARD NODIS PROCEDURES, AS MODIFIED BY TOSEC/SECTO CONSTRAINTS, IN MAKING DISTRIBUTION. S/S TEAM WILL HANDLE ALL TOSEC/SECTO DISTRIBUTION PER INSTRUCTIONS TO EACH ADDRESSEE IN SEPTTEL.

5. AS IN RECENT PAST, TOSEC SERIES TELEGRAMS MAY BE SENT BY ORIGINATING STATIONS OTHER THAN DEPARTMENT (WHITE HOUSE). DEPARTMENT MAY SEND TOSEC SERIES TELEGRAMS TO SINGLE ADDRESSEES ON SECRETARY'S ITINERARY OTHER THAN POSTS WHERE THE SECRETARY IS LOCATED. THEREFORE, COMMUNICATIONS AND RECORDS PERSONNEL AT TRIP POSTS, SINCE THEY MAY NOT BE ABSOLUTELY CERTAIN OF TOSEC SERIES CONTINUITY, WILL NOT BE RESPONSIBLE FOR SUCH CONTINUITY. COMMUNICATIONS AND RECORDS OFFICERS AT TRIP POSTS SHOULD KEEP A COMPLETE RECORD OF TOSEC TELEGRAMS THEY DO RECEIVE. HOWEVER, IT WILL BE NECESSARY TO RELY ON POST MESSAGE CONTINUITY NUMBERS FOR ASSURING RECEIPT OF TRAFFIC.

6. IN CONTRAST TO NORMAL PROCEDURES IT IS ABSOLUTELY ESSENTIAL THAT TRIP POSTS INSURE THAT ALL TOSEC/SECTO TRAFFIC BE GIVEN PRIORITY HANDLING AHEAD OF COMPETING TRAFFIC OF SIMILAR PRECEDENCE.

7. POSTS ARE CAUTIONED NOT TO USE TOSEC/SECTO CAPTIONS WHEN SENDING THE TELEGRAM TO THE NEXT POST REPORTING THE
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LAST SPECIAL SERIES MESSAGE NUMBERS RECEIVED. ALSO COMMUNICATORS SHOULD REQUEST ACKNOWLEDGEMENT OF RECEIPT FOR ALL LATERAL SPECIAL CAPTION MESSAGES CONCERNING THE TRIP. PARTICULAR ATTENTION SHOULD BE GIVEN TO POST (PARTY)-ORIGINATED MESSAGES OF HIGH PRECEDENCE. FLASH MESSAGES, FOR INSTANCE, MUST BE RESENT IF NOT ACKNOWLEDGED WITHIN 30 MINUTES. (EXPERIENCE AND DIFFICULTIES FROM PREVIOUS TRIPS INDICATE THESE PROCEDURES ARE PARTICULARLY IMPORTANT.)

FINALLY, S/S SHOULD BE ALERTED IMMEDIATELY IF THE POST
EXPERIENCES COMMUNICATIONS PROBLEMS WHICH WILL DELAY OR
HALT MESSAGE TRAFFIC. RUSH
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